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SUPREME COURT

A Verdict of \$12.25 Rendered in the (Special to the Herald)

Exeren, April 19 .- The testimony he action, Cook vs Shalit, before the ea prome court, was finished yesterday afternoon and this monning counsel for both sides presented their arguments, the case being given to the jury at 11 o'clock. After being out four hours they returned with a verdict of \$12.25 for the plaint: If on the first charge, and n the second no damages were given.

The case of State vs Albert Dauville of Chester for breaking and enterior, and also for larceny was then heard. Danville pleaded guilty to both oharges and was sentenced to a year and a day in state

This afternoon the trial of the case of Frances M Judson of Windham vs Depity Carin A Norton of Derry was braid The following jury was impanelled on this case: Charles H Macauley, foreman; William D Hervey, Andrew Grey, Frank H Rowell, Walter H Brown, William E

Pierce, Aibin D Marden, Leroy D Wood man, Albert D Frefethen, John C Ramsdell, Willis A. Congdon and Herrick (Huntoon. Judge Page appeared for the plaintiff and J S H Frink for the defend-

The case is an action for trespass which Mrs. Judson claur's Deputy Norton com mitted when, on Sept. 4, 1897, he unlawfully took possession, for eighteen days of her dwelling house, stable and out-houses, and at the same time carried away several srticles of her personal property, and as a result she sues bim for \$2000 dam iges. The K-mball arson case is now set for Monday and Tuesday of next week.

The Old Nomestead

Denman Thompson in the "Old Hometead" was the attraction at Music ball last evening and phased a large audience-One of the great features of the performance was the singing by the double quar- North Hampton and a number of our tet, and it can be said in all truth that most influential citizens are interested in this city. The singers were recalled time into arrangements with Governor Ramsand again in the first act and even after dell about the New Hampshire coast dethey had rendered half a dozen selections fence. the audience was anwilling to part with

As for the play itself, it tells a story in an interesting way of life in a quiet conntry town in New Hampsbire, and it ap- terday afternoon at Charles River track thetic feelings and emotions. It is a play that a person can see more than once with a keen reliah.

On Star (s) and

Cedric Leighton, proprietor of the Isles of Shoals, returned today from Boston where he has been for the past few days in conference with government officials in regard to the construction of a signal station at the Shoals. Mr. Leighton says as the Englebertsen, on Star island, and convert it into a station with apparatu for signaling; also to station five army of ficers there to receive all disputches from the ceast patrol, which will at all times be within signalizing distance of this sta tion. In case a foreign man of-war seen, the fact will be made known to the force at the station, and from here the news will be sent over the cable.

Committee Meetings

A joint meeting of the committees on treets and city lands and buildings was held in the city rooms on Tuesday evening to arrange some p'an of settlement in the Willey claim against the city. The finance committee were also in session and

CITY OF ROCHESTER

Office of City Marshal.

C. A Herbert, Manager, Granite Pile Cure Co., Concord, N. H. Dear Sir:-I have been a great sufferer from Piles for over 30 years, and a constant sufferer, never having only temporary relief. The pain has been very e-vere, and at times, using me up entirey. I have had the Protuding Piles, have tried every remedy and care I ever heard of, have consulted doctors, all with the same effect, and I still had them with me: any relief until I read one of your little books. I wrote to you immediately, as I

knew you very well. I comment d to see year cure as directed, and I felt the Hampshire towns. prove, and now, after using one care and most snother, I am well along to the completion of a permanent cure, am not troubled with protending at all, and all so ours in curing, that it is a pleasure to some sufferers to try this cure; It will

City Marchal,

Volunteer Their Services

A special meeting of Company A. Third Regiment, N H N G, was held in the Armory on Court street last evening and every member present enthusiastically endered their services in case of war.

There was a full attendance and at the coll call when each member was asked separately if he would volunteer for ser vice 19 case of war with Spain, to a man they asswered with an emphatic "yea" and without besitating a moment.

The resignation of First Lieutevant Winslow E. Mills, who has moved from the state, was read, and accepted with much regret. Ex-Captain William H White, Jr., was unanimously chosen to fill the vacancy, and his election was the cause for prolonged cheers. Captain White is deservedly popular with the members of the company and he was give en a royal welcome.

Every company in the third regiment has volunteered their services now and are only waiting the call of the Adjutant-General. If the regiment is ordered out they will go under their own colonel and field officers just the same as they would

Every man has volunteered his services cnowing full well the danger and hardship they will have to undergo in case they are ordered to the front but as yet not one has any idea of backing out. Company A. needs one or two more recruits to make up its full complement of men although they are not absolutely neces-

To Act at Once

The promoters of the naval militia held conference last evening and decided to apply to the governor of the state to secare funds to equip the organization at once. Pressure will also be brought to bear to have one of the old monitors sent here to defend our harbor and coast, to be manned by New Hampshire naval volunteers. Councillor Joseph O. Hobbs of

Won by Eiken

The great 100 mile bicycle race be tween Tom Barnaby and Harry Elkes yeswas won by young Elkes. Barnaby collapsed in the 49th mile and was carried to his training quarters unconscious Elkes rode ten miles further and was then called iff the track and awarded the race. Harry Caldwell, who was once known as the king of road racers in this state, was one of the pasers for Eikes and Sharer, who will be remembered by a'l racing men in this city, was among Barnaby's pacing

Mrs John A Lowd

Harriet, wife of John A. Lowd, died at her home in Greenland on Tuesday aged seventy-seven years. Deceased was a well-known and highly esteemed lady and the news of her death will be great shock to her many friends. She leaves, besides a husband, one son. Forber Lowd, of Greenland, and three daughters, Lizzie Lowd, also of Greenland, Mrs. Berry of Exeter and Mrs. Rideout of Charlestown, Mass. The funeral services will be held from her late home on Friday afternoon at 1:30

Funeral of Nathaniel Chapman

The funeral services over the remains tents. of Nathaniel Chapman were held at his late home in Greenland on Tuesday aftalked over some slight changes in the ap- ternoon. Rev. O. S. Baketel of Manchester officiated, assisted by Rev. F. L. Tyler, pastor of the Methodist church in Greenland. A large number of relatives and friends were present to pay their last sad tribute to one whom they loved and respected in life. Inter-ROCHESTER, N. H., March 4th, 1898 ment took place in the family lot in

Sale of Breed Mares and Colts

Greenland cemetery.

The brood mares and colts belonging to large crowd was in attendance, many be- also be on sale. present from Boston and interior New

A Sick Buranger

This forenoou a stranger called at Boardman & Norton's drug store and asked for medicine, stating that he was ill Just as the clerk turned to put up the prescription the man pitched forward Master Shipfitter Connors. it. I hope this testimonial will induce onto his face. He struck his name on the tiled floor and laid in a dead faint. was finally brought out of it and after a half hour's rest left, stating that he felt

Circular Relative Thereto Issued by State Master Bachelder Master N. J Bachelder of the State Grange has issued the following circular in relation to the observance of Arbor

"Saturday, April 30, has been selected by His Excellency Governor Ramsdell as Arbor day in New Hampshire, and in accordance with long established costom, the subordinate Grang's of the State should arrange for a very general and enthsustic ob envance of the day. The the Universalist church in this city, died manuer in which this shall be done we leave to the wisdom of the Granges, only offering the suggestion that it will be-well to co operate with schools and town and village improvement associations, where more systematic and profitable observance of the day will be promoted th reby. I would be well if a discussion of Arbor day observance could be made a leading featnre at a meeting of each Grange immediately previous or on the day selected, in order that its importance may be more fully appreciated and the advantages accruing to the state by its universal observance more generally realized. We urge prompt and enthsiastic action in this im-

Aunual Meeting

portant matter."

The annual meeting of the New Hampshire society of the Sons of the American Revolution was held on Tuesday in Representative hall, Concord. Hon. Charles R Corning delivered the address, subject. "John Langdon," the notable native of Pertsmouth, who, while president of the United States senate, and under date of April 6th, 1789, notified General George Washington of his election to the office

of president of his country. At 130 o'clock in the afternoon a banquet was served at the Eagle hotel. Addresses were made by Gov. Ramsdell; Mayor Woodworth, Benry O. Kent, governor of the society of Colonial wars; Rev. Henry E Hovey, president of state society, Sons of the Revolution better quartet singing was never heard in the matter and expect to make some defi- Dr G. P. Conn, subject. "Surgeons of the Revolution," and Rev. D C. Roberts, D D., subject: "Revolutionary Par-

The gain in membership for the year

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MRS. B. F. LOMBARD, millinery.

G. F. WALLIS, baker. W. A. A CULLEN, W. H. SMITH, F. H. YOUNG, CHICAGO MEAT Co. groceries and provisions.

J. ED. PICKERING, steam laundry.

Air of Mystery at Navy Yard There was a general arc of mystery a

he navy yard yesterday among officials which is regarded as significa : .

Telegraph messengers have been carrying dispetches into the office of the commandant frequently, and everybody at this station is concerned as to their con-

The dispatches may bear important orders regarding war preparations or they may simply mean the transfer of officers, which usually takes place about this season of the year, but the government is that the dispatches are of more importance and have a bearing upon the present

Auction at the Woman's Exchange

A consignment of articles have been sent to the Woman's Exchange, to be disposed of at a mock auction on Sa urday the estate of the late B. D. Whitcomb at afternoon, April 23, from half past three Stratham, were disposed of at auction to six o'clock. Everyone purchasing a Tueday. Fair prices were obtained. The 25 cent admission ticket will be furnished brown yearling colt, brother to Vegar, at the door with necessary means for se-2 10 1-2, sold for \$225 to Daniel Mahoney guring the artisles at the highest bid had practically given up of ever getting of this city for Hon. Frank Joses. A Home made candy, cake and chocolate will

Navy Yard Notes.

The failure to organize a naval militia in Portsmouth has lost this naval station

The work of putting some of the gom is shape has been commenced by

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfeetly barmless; positive care for coughs, colds, breaghitis, asthway

CITY BRIEFS.

Keep your flag flying. Every day lag day now John Hett has lost another goose.

Mr. Bert J. Rows of Cripple Creek still sojourning in Portsmouth. Two recruits for Company A, Third

Regiment, N. H. N. G., passed their physical examination before Surgeon Towle on Tuesday and will at once be mustered in Careline A, widow of Rev. S. S. Flatcher, who was at one time pastor of at her home in Exeter on Sunday, aged

seventy-eight years, one mouth and eight-

A very large gang of Italian laborers arrived here from Boston on Tuesday vening and were transported to Newcasle in the big Wentworth house barge. Beside a bargeful there were a score or ore who were obliged to walk.

It is doubtful if Nason is indicted for nurder at this term of court, but the lareny charges will be pressed against him. Setween now and the next term of court the prosecution hope to work up a strong ase on the more serious charge.

A meeting of the directors of the Me hancs and Traders' National Bank was held last evening and a temporary comnittee appointed to fill the position made vacant by the death of John

ecruits to Boston on the 2.40 train.

River and Harbo

A. W. Walker.

rrived yesterday from Fort Liberty with cargo of coal for John Neal, Kittery.

coal for Dover. Arrived today for Gray and Prime,

Reported below this morning schooners Ella Brown, Peabody, New York for Saco with coal, and the Vineyard, Cummings, from New York to Bar Harbor with coal Schooner Francis M , Hogan, arrived in the lower harbor this morning from Philadelphia with 1878 tons of coal for the

Captain Golding of the British schooner Annie Harper, now at Boston, reports that he was in company with the overdue March 29 to this port, until the night of the 31st Thay had reached a point off Boone island. It shot to thick there, and a few hours later the portheaster sprung up, is which the Annie Harper was driven across the bay and dashed ashore at Sise, president of the Bank. A perma-Scituate. She was afterward floated by nent president will be elected some time tugs and taken to Boston. Captain Golding thinks the Torrey foundered that Boatswain P H Smith U S N, took 21 mght, as she was deeply laden and had a

vening from New York with C. R R. barge No 2, Capt. Benson, in tow. The barge has 1195 tons of coal for J. A. and

Schooner Mollie Rhodes, Dobbins, ar-

Tug Nottingham, Tingle, arrived last

rived last evening from New York with

cumbersome deckload.

Schooner Seth W. Smith, Morton, ar-

schooner Mary Manning, Burr, from Philadelphia with 1944 tons of coal.

schooner David Torrey, from Portland great favorite. He had been ill less than

The death of Morris, son of Mr. and and Mre. Charles C. Lamprey, at bis home on the Newington road this morning. came as a great shock to his many frien is with whom he was very popular and a a week of typhoid pneumonia, but the disease came is its most malignant form and resulted in his death early this morn-

He was carried off just as he was entering manhood at the early age of 26 years. 6 months and 9 days, and leaves behind a arge circle of friends, a father and mother. and five sisters to mourn his loss.

The coal heavers worked in the drizcling rain last evening discharging the

Faithful Trial Brings Reward

Hood's Sarsaparilla Triumphant in a Severe Test -A Distressing Sore Completely Cured

The testimonials in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla are worth reading because they tell things worth telling. Just spare a few moments to read this statement below:

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"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.: "Gentlemen: - For fully twenty years my mother has been seriously troubled by a sore on her nose. For some time we thought it of a cancerous nature, and it was removed three times. A physician in

Boston said the sore was not a carcer, but

"A Catarrhal Sore." It discharged and was, of course, very annoving as well as painful. Sometimes it was as large as a half dollar, and it was necessary to keep it bandaged and protected most of the time. About two years ago the sore seemed to be spreading over her face, and was larger than when the Who writes the following, is a leading Boston physician removed it. There is

no question but that its origin was in

The Scrofulous Humor with which my mother has always been

in and about Epping, N. H., than Mr. coming less troublesome. This encourlady referred to. His word is as good | Sarsaparılla. She took II bottles, and now Her Face is Well.

The sore has entirely disappeared, leaving

not a sear, but only a slight mark, which we think may in time totally disappear. It is such a comfort to her and such a joy to the rest of the family that we feel in debted more than we can express, to Hood's Sarsaparilla, that she has been cured after twenty years of suffering.' MISS E. A. STOKES, Epping, N. H.

From Mr. Stokes.

"I am glad to say that the cure of my wife is exactly as stated in my daughter's letter above. JOSEPH STOKES.

Col. Bennett,

contractor and builder, has been on the Governor's staff, and held other official positions of confidence and trust: "I know the parties referred to in the troupled. Two years ago she decided to letters above, and endorse them as thorgive Hood's Sarsaparilla a faithful trial, oughly reliable. I have known about also using, as an outward application, this case for some time, and am glad this Hood's Olive Cintment. It was soon no- testimonial has been sent to C. I. Hood ticed, to the joy of the family, that the & Co." J. W. BENNETT, Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Sarsa-parilla

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Banks in Portsmouth, N. H.

In accordance with section 23 of chapter 165 of the Public Statutes, which appears below, you are requested to bring or send your deposit book to the Bank issuing the same, some time in the month of May, 1898, for examination and verification. In sending books by mail, please state definitely present place of residence and SeedS postoffice address.

THE STATUTE OF NEW HAMPSPIRE IS AS FOLLOWS:

"In the year 1892, and every third year thereafter the Trusters of Savings Banks and other institutions for savings, shall call the fitting out of a suitable vessel for in the books of deposit for their depositors, for examination and verification, and they shall cause the same to be examined and verified by some person or persons aside from the treasurer or his clerk, to be employed for the purpose.

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PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20, 1898.

than mediation.

Spain will probably not criticise the senatorial finbustors.

The court of Europe will tikely postcone its Ameri au engagement,

We seem to be pretty sure of a fight.

The silence of Mr. Rubeus is explained by the fact that he pulled the hole in

Europe will think hard before attempting to work on America the game worked

We may have war and we may have peace; but we are certain to have the vellow editors for an indefinite time.

Of eon se Senater Tilman had to

brandish his pitchfork and make a few of

The Stillwater Gazette is concerned lest the war, should we have one, would act be fierce and bloody enough. Wonder what they drink at Stillwater?

THE CLOVE TREE.

stalka. The flowers are produced in great profusion, and when they appear which is at the beginning of the rain; sesson, they are in the form of elongat ed greenish bads. These anexpanded buds are the cloves of commerce, which Shord to a nail

same of "mother cloves" It has an ander and flavor similar to cloves, but is much weaker

The flower buds are beaten from the stree and are dried by the smoke of wood

head, which is, in fact, the flower roller up, inchoses a number of small file round the linver and form the flower cap of the marpe send vessel. When "they are souked for a short time in her water, the howers soften and readily sproil, so that all of the parts may be

The estire clove tree is highly are nation and the foot stalks of the leaves have meaning the same pungent quality as the cutya of the flower. -Philadel shis Times

& longs Moute. "Somewhere in the south," says Conaman Enlloway, "a bright color by appeared tefere the civil serve sion to be examined for the p altion of letter carrier. 'How far is From the earth to the mocu? was t first question asked by those who we. the the place he would man's fitue for the place he wought. 'How fah a the from the earf to de moon?' echoed t applicant, My Lawd, boss, if you giving to put me on dat rente I don ant de joh. With that the young.m. topo aband. '

Adulterated . Fabrica. Assording to a correspondent of the charter Guardian, some English man

Intensely Exciting Race Between

BARNABY DEFEATED.

COMPETITION RECORDS SLASHED.

Fast Riders.

Bay State Man Exhausted by a Fifty-Mile Run.

Boston, April 20 .-- Harry Elkes of Glen Falls, N. Y., defeated Tom Barnaby of Revere in a 100-mile paced race at the Charles river park Tuesday afternoon, the latter falling exhausted in the 50th mile, while Elkes kept on for eight miles further just to show what he could do All American paced competition records from 35 miles to 50 were lowered, Barnaby cutting the 35th and 36th and Elkes the rest, the latter making the 50 miles in

The race was intensely exciting. Elkes having the better of it, although his lead was never very great, up to the 24th mile, when Barnally jumped from him and kept ahead for two miles. The Revere wheelman however, lost his pacers, and Elkes regained the lead. which he kept to the 34th, when Barnaby again went to the front. For three miles it was a hot fight, but again Elkes took the lead, and after that he was never headed. The weather was raw and cold, but a

large crowd forgot all about it in the excitement of the race. Both men had five tandem pacers, but the Elkes combination proved much the superior, as two of Barnaby's pacers ran away from

BEAT NEW YORKERS.

Bostons Easily Retrieved the Defeat of Last Saturday.

Boston, April 20.-The New Yorks opened on Nichols viciously Tuesday, but it lasted only one inning. On the other hand Doheny was pounded out of the box, and the game resulted in a walkover for the home team. The feature of the game was the fielding of Stahl and Lowe for the home team and Tiernan for the visitors. Score: Hoston. AB R 1B PO A

Long. s. s. 5 1 Duffy, 1. f. 5 2 Collins, 3 b 5 3 Stahl, r. f 2 1 Lowe, 2 b 5 2 Nichols, p..... 4 2

Van Haltren, c. f.... 4 1 Davis, s. s. . McCreery, r. f..... 4 Hartman, 3 b...... 4 Doheny, p Gettig, p 0 0

Two-base hits-Hamilton, Van Hal run-Nichols. Stolen bases-Tenney Duffy. Double plays—Lowe, Long and Tenney; Gleason and Davis First base on balls—By Nichols, 1, by Lewis, 1 by Doheny, 1, by Gettig, 8 Struck out— By Nichols, 2; by Lewis, 1, by Doheny 2; by Gettig, 1. Passed balls—Grady 3. Wild pitches—Doheny Time—1:55 Umpires—Snyder and Curry. Atten-

Rain prevented other league games, In Springfield-Springfields, 10: Hart-ords i (7 innings)

(6 innings). In New Bedford-New Bedfords, 10 In Brockton-Brocktons, 11; Newports

In Fall River-Providences, 11; Fall Rivers, 4 (5 innings).

PUMMELLED UNMERCIFULLY.

Rochester, April 20,-Pat Ready of Washington clearly outfought Harry Fischer of Brooklyn before the Rienzi club, pummelling him unmercifully, and having hardly a mark himself. men were on their feet at the end of the 20th round, and the referee gave the docision to Ready

TEN-ROUND CO.

Lynn, Mass., April 20 -The star event in the Phenix Athletic association rooms ast evening was a 10-round go between Patsey Haley of Buffalo and John commerce in a dried state, under the Frazier of Boston at 124 pounds. Haley brought first blood in the seventh round and after that he played for Frazier's head, landing when he pleased,

EACH GOT A FALL.

Montpelier, Vt., April 20 .- The wresting match between Richard Henderon of Wells River and Edward Dese of St. Albans last night resulted in a draw. each man getting a fall. The contest lasted until 1 30 this morning. FIFTEEN ROUNDS.

Hudson, N. H., April 20,-Charles Armtrong and Fred Arnold of Lowell fought 15-round draw Tuesday afternoon.

IN EOSTON.

Coolness of an Actor Allayed the Fears of an Audience.

Boston, April 20.-The coolness of Willlam Humphrey, an actor playing at one of the local theatres, prevented a fire scare which might have been followed by serious results. The fire was outside the theater, but the smoke from it entered the auditorium. This fact, coupled with the clatter of five engines, caused try a lox of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 limid matinee girls to get excited, and a few seconds later the audience surged for the exits. A stage scene had just changed as Mr. Humphrey heard the audience start, and he quickly called out that there was no fire, and ordered the orchestra to play. The music of "Star

Spangled Banner" checked the rush, and in a few minutes quiet was restored. The exact contents of the Hoosac tuniel dock elevator at the time of the fire last Sunday has been given by the under writers insuring the risk as 5000 bushels of oats, 190,000 bushels of corn and 205,-000 bushels of wheat. Wheat at the time of the fire was quoted at \$1.12, corn 35 cents and oats 35 cents, so that the value

of the burned grain was about \$262,500. Patriots' day was celebrated by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery com-

Commissionry A. Phomas responded for the president, and Attorney General Knowlton spoke for the commonwealth. Other speeches were made by Colone Henry Walker, Lieutenant Weaver, Senator Morse, Captain Lombard, Colonel Sidney M. Hedges and Chaplain

A hundred colonists in Sydney, N. S. W., have offered their services to the American consul, in the event of a war between the United States and Spain.

DEATH OF GEORGE LATHROP.

New York, April 20.-George Parsons Lathrop died yesterday at Roosevelt bers of the craft in spirit under Boshospital after a very brief illness. He was received on Saturday, suffering from a complication of diseases. Monday night his brother was notified that his case was not considered at all desperate, but Tuesday morning his temhas been more or less ingrafted mon perature rose suddenly and he died before there was time to summon his wife him, however far we may have traveled or any of his relatives. from the source. Boswell gave the nu-Mr. Lathrop was born in Honolulu, cleus, and more or less consciously we have used his world as a standard inev-

Hawali, Aug 24, 1851. He showed a literary bent at a very early age. He was only 24 when the chair of assistant editor of the Atlantic Monthly was offered him. He filled it for two years. He turned from that magazine to the work of editing a Boston Sunday newspape: Before this he had married Rose Haw thorne, daughter of the great novelist, Nathaniel Hawthorns. There was a great sensation in 189

when both Mr and Mrs, Lathrop were received into the Catholic church. Mr Lathrop was bitterly attacked by The Independent and other religious news papers, and published replies, defending the church of his choice and his wisdom in joining it. The literary worl was again astonished when it learned that Rose Hawthorne Lathrop had given up her home and decided to devote her life to a mission for those afflicted with cancer. BOSTON EDITORS' VIEWS.

Boston, April 20.-The Globe: "The mean, and they mean what they have said. They demand peace not only in Cuba, but in the United States, and 'at-They demand that we shall cease to belittle ourselves by magnifying so simple a task. They demand a chance to think of something else beside war and rumors of war."

"President McKinley has won," says The Journal. "His wishes have prevailed. He is given the power to intervene without being compelled to recognize at once the present insurgent government. Congress has armed him with the full authority for which he has

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Detroit, April 20 .- The departure of the first battalion of the Nineteenth infantry from Fort Wayne for Mobile last evening was marked by a serious accident. During the firing of a salute in honor of the departing troops by those left in charge of the fort, Private George Eggman had his right arm nearly blown off by the premature explosion of a cannon, and Sergeant J W Anniss, who was in charge of the fitting party, had his right hand severely injured.

ARRESTS IN NEW BEDFORD,

New Bedford, Mass., April 20.-The police last night made three arrests growing out of the mill disturbances last week. Johanna Winters is charged with attempted intimidation of Joshua Gregory, a Bristol null operative, Mary Clancy is charged with assault on Gregory, and Alice Smith is charged with assault on Bertha Gregory CAUSED BY GASOLINE.

Waterbury Conn., April 20 -The explosion of a gasoline tank used in cones tion with a brazing apparatus in th bleych store of Remadlard & Dalois caused a fire yesterday afternoon which resulted in about \$1a,000 damage. Ten families that occupied the upper stories had their household goods almost comoletely ruined by water.

HAT FACTORY BURNED.

South Norwalk, Conn., April 20 -The factory of the South Norwalk Co-operative Hat company was entirely do stroyed by fire shortly before midnight The loss is \$25,000, the insurance, \$20,000. The fire was of unknown origin. The factory was a frame structure and employed 100 hands.

TELEGRAPPIC BREVITLES.

Thomas Moren, aged about 50, suspected of poisoning Joseph S. Blaise at Lewiston, Me., Menday evening, was irrested at Livermore Falls.

The Republicans of the Sixth district n Indiana have nominated James E. Watson for congress, to succeed Representative Johnson, who has attracted attention as an advocate of peace. A company of naval reserves is being

formed in Taunton, Mass, for service in case they are needed for the government defense. The men who are sign ing the pupers are nearly all old cadets. The executive committee of the na-

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itably taken into account in all later

judgments. To suppose Boswell nonex-

istent is for such readers to suppose a

kind of organic change in our whole es-

timate of literary characteristics.

I bave read Hawkins and Mrs. Piozzi and the rest, but always with the help American people have said what they of the preconceived notions. Where they could be fitted into Boswell I have accepted them as corroborations, but when they differed I have probably rejected the uncongenial elements with perhaps a careless assumption that they must be maccurate, and yet it seems only justice to these respectable persons to consider whether we ought not to reopen the point If Mme D'Arblay saw something of Johnson which was not revealed to Boswell, may we not discover similar supplementary hints in the other attempts at portraiture?-Leslie Stephen in National Review.

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only 9.30. Leave York beach for Portsmouth -5,50, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, a. m. 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30 * p. m.

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10.00, 11.00, 12.00 a. m.; {1.00, **2.00** 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00 p. Leave Beach for Exeter-6.45, 7.45, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 **n. m.; 1.00, 2.00,**

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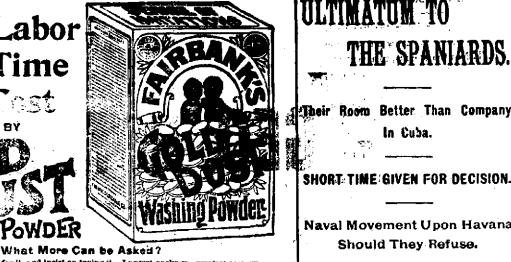
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Washington, April 20.-Spain has been informed that the Cuban resolution passed by congress is now a part of the laws of the United States. With the information was an ultimatum demanding compliance with this law and a answer within a short time, probably 24 hours. Compliance is not expected and a forward movement on Cuba wil commence the latter part of this week according to the plans of the administra-

Two cabinet meetings were held yes erday, the first beginning at 11 o'clock and lasting two hours and the second lasting from 3 until 5:30. At their close announcement that executive action was delayed until today was made. Both sessions were devoted principally to dis-Don't waste money | cussion of the ultimatum to Madrid. At the morning session the president rather tion of troops and munitions of war fixing your type favored allowing the Madrid government two or three days in which to reply to our demands, but since that time he has changed his views somewha The Yost CANNOT and it is now believed to be his purpose to require an answer within a short time. The reason for limiting the time to one day or even tess is said to be entirely by naval officers over the cold-blooded strategic; otherwise two or even three attempt of persons owning vessels o days would have been allowed. The acting as their agents to extort from the uitimatum recites the main features of government sums of money largely in the resolution passed by congress, which arrived at the white house at 1:15 o'clock, a little over an hour having been consumed in the formalities of securing the signatures of Speaker Reed and Vice President Hobart in open session and its delivery by Representative Hager of lowa, chairman of the committee on enrolled bills, and Representative Overstreet of Indiana. It was expected that the resolution would be signed immediately it reached the president, and this was Mr. McKinley's inclination, but for certain reasons it was deemed advisable that the resolution and the ultimatum to Spain should be signed simultaneously, and time was needed to draft the ultimatum in diplomatic form. The fact that the resolution was not immediately signed gave rise to disquieting reports, but it soon appeared from statements of cabinet officers that the prestdent had not the slightest intention of withholding his signature, and that the delay in attaching it was accounted for solely by his desire to have a full and complete plan of operations for the government of the executive in the immediate future before taking the final

and important step of turning the joint resolution into a statute. about the ultimatum, said: "In accordance with the terms of the resolution, messages were sent to its agency in Eu-the president will demand that Spain rope looking to the purchase of some of shall evacuate the island. The demand for this will be flat-footed and absolute, and no tentative or half-way reply will satisfy the president, nor will any compromise that contemplates the withdrawal of Spain's troops from the island Spanish control or the raising of the it may be that a suggestion that the may be instrumental in postponing for a brief time the putting into effect of the congressional resolution, but the president is disposed not to brook any furcrisis like this reasonable time shall be to put into force the congressional reso-

"A blockade of Cuba, so far as it is at present understood, will be begun at once. There is an adequate number of war vessels in the vicinity to make this effective. I think such supplies as the Spaniards now control will not last them more than a month. Then steps taken with a view to increasing the equipment with sufficient hardtack for food will enable him to harrass the Spaniards from the rear, which will materially assist in bringing them to terms. My idea is that it will probably take two months to bring about the results which will compel the Spaniards to evacuate and enable the island to be occupied by the United States with molestation.

"No; the United States government reprisal, nor countenance privateering, but if the Spanish government chooses will have to deal with the nations of to interfere."

As to the course of events in the immediate future, the only prediction that can be made is one based on precedents, Asserding to these, Minister Woodford will notify the Spanish government of the action of the United States and should the Spanish answer be unsatisfactory as is expected, the next step will be for him to ask for his passports and eave Madrid. That would be followed natantly by the withdrawal from Wash-

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are now mentioned instead of weeks as the probable length of hostilities, and one naval officer, who had experience in the late war, professes, a belief that unless outside pressure is brought to bear, a war may easily drag along for a year under the existing conditions. Apparently the powers have abandoned open efforts in Washington to influence.

The authoritative statement is made that on the first call for troops only the national guard will be given an opwar. This statement is in accordance with those made by Secretary Alger to the national guard men who called upon him at the war department on Saturday, when the modified Hull bill for the expansion of the army in time of war was under consideration. The secretary thinks that such a course is in keeping with sound discretion and the dictates of common-sense, for the organized militia have gone to great expense and have devoted much time to perfecting them selves for military duty. Any other course, he believes, would be destructive to the best interests of the guard. As far as practicable the state organiza tions entering the volunteer service will remain intact, the governors of the various states being permitted, as they were in 1861, to designate the regimental officers, which will include those of the grades of second lieutenants to colonels. The president will reserve the right to appoint the staff and field officers. Many applications have been made to

the war department for permission to volunteer, and among men of all creeds nationalities and politics there is an expressed intention and desire to upholo the honor and the integrity of the flag of the republic. The first call for troops will be for 80,600 men, which it is believed will exhaust the available strength of the national guard at this time, after deducting those who are sick and other wise incapacitated for immediate ser vice. The total strength of the guard as reported to the war department 113,764 men.

Secretary Alger has made additional allotments from the emergency fund for the war department. One million dollars were given for the quarter master's department, chiefly to meet ex traordinary expenses in the transporta \$15,000 for work with balloons and \$60, 000 for perfecting the telegraphic ser vice. General Greely, the chief signal officer, is a staunch advocate of the use of balloons at the various ports of the country and in field service. A great deal of indignation has been expressed excess of the value of their craft. The same complaint is also made as to many kinds of military and naval supplies, atthough it is gratifying to note that in a few cases—the tube makers and boiler making firms and some ammunition and gun making people-every disposition has been shown to give the government the best terms.

The navy department has arranged t place light armor on the four vessel: acquired from the Morgan line, the Prairie, Yosemite, Yankee and Dixte. The Carnegie company has undertaken to roll immediately light steel plate, one and one-half inches thick. Two layers of this plate will be placed around the boliers and engine rooms of the boats. making about 25 tons of armer in each case. This will be sufficient at least to repel the fire of machine guns and perhans to keep out six-pounder shells.

The department has received satisfactory information that the coal loaded at Newport News upon a British steamer is not, as was supposed, intended for the Spanish fleet at the Cape Verde islands, but is for a line of merchant steamers, so that apprehension from that source has been removed. The de A member of the cabinet, in speaking partment is still looking out for vessels suitable for colliers, and several cable

There is no disposition on the part of the authorities to hasten the movements of Minister Bernabe. Whether the state department will send him his passports, and the subsequent re-establishment of or he will ask for them, is felt to be an immaterial detail. He intends to go cepted by the administration. Possibly and there is every reason to believe the state department will afford him the matter has been referred to the cortes protection of passports and any attentions usual in the enforced departure of a minister on the breaking out of war. The entire staff of the legation will ac company the minister. Their exact ther delay. It is only fair that in a great movements after leaving Washington are not made known, except that they given. If Spain refuses to evacuate will return to Spain at the earliest pos-Cuba prompt measures will be adopted sible moment. It would be no surprise if the minister and his staff went by way of Canada instead of New York, taking one of the Atlantic liners from Halifax.

Although of sturdy physique, the Spanish minister showed signs of the intense strain and anxiety put upon him during the last few days... He saw a number of friends, mainly of the diplomatic corps and to them expressed the view of Gomes's soldlers and furnishing them that all hope of a peaceful settlement appeared to be at an end, and that Spain now left with the United States the responsibility of war. Being convinced that all hope of peace was over, the minister's personal desires were that the remaining formalities might be dispatched as speedily as possible.

Early Tuesday morning the large metal sign bearing the words, "Office of the Spanish legation," was wrenched from will not issue any letters of marque and its place on the gate leading to the legation and carried off by vandals. The minister made no complaint to the state to enter upon this line of warfare she department or the police, as he sought to minimize the petty depredations Europe with whose commerce she seeks against the legation, although this was the most flagrant one committed.

One of the best posted members of the diplomatic corps stated that it was now too late for mediation or intervention even if the powers could be brought together. It was recognized on all hands,

he said, that the United States and Spain had chosen a recourse to war. It was a decision which sovereign nations had a right to make, lamentable as it might be, and the only course now open for ngton of the Spanish minister. The other nations was to determine their state department officials are confident attitude of neutrality between the two that the Spanish government will so belligerents. Already, it is said. Great shape every pluse of the negotiations as Britain has taken steps not only to main. tain a passive neutrality, but to enforce it with arms it necessary. Two reg-iments of British soldiers are now in the goes not back sown will follow actual British West Indies, and these are about Indies will be a center of conflict, and that the stress of war may lead one or

trality. Its West Indian possessions are considerable and it has several ships in those waters. Germany and the othe powers are expected to take the same neutral attitude.

In connection with the report that the driebund had sought to effect a pleblacite in Cuba, it was stated at one of th embassies that this branch of negotiations occurred last week and embraced some circumstances not made known in the dispatches. About the nilddle of last week one of the embassies was inportunity to volunteer for service in the formed from its foreign office that its ambassador at Madrid advised ther that Minister Woodford had suggested jn a tenative way, a plebiscite as a possible solution of the highly perplexing problem. This ambassador also advised his foreign office that the suggestion did not meet with favor and had not been followed up. Since then there has been no talk of a plebiscite so far as is known here.

> the government in both houses of parlia are necessary to face the present dif Boulty. Attempts are being made sully the glorious history of Spain b an infamous calumny. The different Spanish governments have done their utmost to avert war to which we are be ing provoked. We have now reacher the limits of concessions compatible with honor and terrstorial integrity. W consented to the bist concession at th instance of the pope and the powers We yielded in fact, but now attempts are being made then our benef and menaces directed against our territory That is a thing to which spaniards wil ever consent. This is not the momen to trace a parliamentary programs bu the moment to unite ours does, as ou fathers have done, in the face of a odlous attempt against the integrity of our territory. The insult effered us to day is the most infamous that has eve

> been offered." Premier Sagasta counselled the rapl constitution of the chambers in order t accord to the government the hieans defend the country's interests. "Spain, he added, "will not allow a parcel of he territory to be taken from her with Im punity; nor will she be a party to any trafficking for her possessions." onged applicuse greated the speech.

POLITICS IN THE SENATE.

Members Making Capital of Their R

spective Attitudes. Washington, April Jd. -Mr. Cockere injected some life into Tuesday's ser sion of the senate by throwing down th wauntlet to Mr. Hale for utterances o the latter during the Cuban debate.

Mr. Hate expressed the hope that al Republicans would be found in solid phalanx in support of the president and their party. "I may be pard-med, too for expressing the hope," said he, taunt ingly, "that all Democrats and all mem bers of other parties shall be found supporting not the president alone, but th country in all patriotic matters."

"I, too, shall welcome the day whe men of all parties may join with th president in support of patriotic policies," declared Mr. Cockerell, "but i the president of the United States expects me to be a tail of his kite and t swing along to his coat-tails, he wil find himself greatly mistaken."

"We cannot imagine the senator fron Missouri swinging from the coat-tails of anybody," said Mr. Hale.



"No; and you never will," retorted Mr. Cockerell, hotly. "When we had a president of my own party with whom I did not agree, and with whose policies I was at variance, I repudiated him. We have a president, not a dictator, a servant of the people, not a ruler. I am glad to have the senator from Maine come in for I have some things to say I desire him hear." Mr. Cockereli launched into an extended speech, in which he sharply attacked the administration and congress for their action on the Cuban question. He adverted to the passing of the resolution early in the merning intimating that it would enable those so inclined to take advantage of the Cubar patriots.

Mr. Hale interrupted him to inquire why it was that the Democrats of the senate, particularly as a body, voted against the action for which they had been clamoring for months. "I can understand," he said, "the senator from Missouri may be a trifle sensitive over

"Not at all," declared Mr. Cockerell. I never was more glad of any vote tha ever cast than of that I cast in the early hours this morning. The votes we cast were a manifestation of devotion to the principle long upheld by the Cuban patriots,"

Mr. Hale called attention to the fore cast he had made last Saturday night which was in effect that the Democrats were opposed to any action. He did no expect his forecast to be to soon sub Mr. Cockerell replied that when the

question finally came before the senat-At was on the particular matter as to whether the recognition of independence should be incorporated in the resolutions That amendment, Mr. Cockerell contended, was the only point in issue on the final vote. Mr. Hale was about to again interrup

when he was stopped by the suggestion of Mr. Spooner (Wis.) that the Missouri senator be permitted to proceed with "his political speech." "I am perfectly willing," responded Mr. Hale, " that the senator from Missouri should continue "ble exculpatory speech." T don't care a continental whether you

call it a political speech," shouted Mr Cockerell. He maintained that he was accurately stating the position of himself and his colleagues.

un.the senator from Maine," respond ed Mr. Cockerell, distainfully, "is employing pettifogging tactics that are no Worthy of a lawyer in a justice's court, Mr. Cannon inquired of Mr. Hale whether a vote against a conference report was a vote against the measure in

Volved. In reply, Mr. Hale said in substance that such a vote had all the effect of a vote against the measure, because by the adoption of the report the measure with the subsequently attached signature of the president, became the law of the land.

"As a matter of fact," interjected M: Spooner, "this whole business was a Democratic party play, and they cannot but men on this side of the chamber in a hole by any exhibition of a holier than

parties constituting the cortes held their Republicans to maintain an expertanattitude toward the monarchy, but a the same time to stand ready to make the sacrifices demanded by patriotism in the face of a powerful enemy, for the defense of Spanish sovereignty over Cuba, the preservation of which is de manded by the history, security and rights of Spain."

PRIVATEERING QUESTION.

Paris, April 20.-The Times says tha the question of privateering is receiving the closest attention in proper quar ters." It adds that it has been suggested that the powers should address note to Washington and Madrid, expressing the hope that they will not employ pri vateers. The paper continues: "This however, might be resented, especially in Anierica, and it is pointed out the indirect pressure could be exercised by the maritime powers in making their favors, such as coaling, dependent uponon-recourse to privateering."

TESTING AN EXPLOSIVE.

Pittsburg, April 20 -A new explosive shell, the invention of George W. Mc Millin of Chicago, is being tested at the works of the Carnegie Steel Works company, and the result may determine the duration of an encounter with Spanisi men-of-war. It is claimed that the shell is of a more dangerous nature to the enemy than any projectile. Within the next week specimens will be forwarded to Sandy Hook testing grounds to be pu through the government's most rigic examination.

WOULD ALLOW FIVE MINUTES.

Key West, April 20 .- A naval official, n discussing the situation, said: "Spair cannot surrender without at least one fight. She must make a show of resist ence in order to appease her people a home. I suppose she will now be given 24 or 48 hours notice to get out, but per sonally I think five minutes is all she should get, and that the fleet should be sent to Havana forthwith, so that the Spanish troops may evacuate the island under our guns."

WANTED TO ENLIST.

London, April 20.-There have been many applications at the United States mbassy and consulate for enlistment in the army or navy. Most of the applicants were Englishmen, including several officers and former officers of the British army of lieutenant grade. A number of engineers also applied, and applications were received from women who are desirous of serving as nurses in the field. A majority of those who applied expect to be sent to the United States at the government's expense. They were all told that the United States officials here had no authority to enlist. "THE PRESIDENT'S OWN."

Plattsburg, N. Y., April 20,-Nearly 1000 of Plattsburg's residents gathered to bid the Twenty-first infantry farewell Tuesday, and a large proportion of them carried flags of all sizes. As a large fortion of the regiment was recruited from Plattsburg and vicinity it was a sad day for the town. There were patriotic scenes when the soldiers took eave of wives, children and friends. Along the route from here to Albany the regiment was cheered by crowds at

presentation of the flag earned for the regiment the title of "The president's

Blenkiewics Father Barabasz of Baltimore, who

visited his countryman, Henry Sienkiewicz, not long ago, says in the Baltimore Sun that the Polish novelist is very simple in his manners and is rather silent when in society, but he is a good listener to a good story. He is of medium size, rather dark and is inclined to balduess, with a hint of gray over the temples. The name is pronounced Chen kay-veetch, with the accent on the second syllable and the ch pronounced as in child. His bome is now at Warsaw. though much of his time is spent in traveling and in getting material for his literary work. He has been married twice. The death of his first wife oc curred when he was writing "Pan Michael," and its somber tone is traced back to that event.

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Though cloudy skies covered New England the greater part of yesterday no rain fell until afternoon, and the only in the southern and western por tions. While the foul weather will prob ably continue most of today, fair weathe seems certain tonight and Thursday with slightly higher temperatures an westerly winds. Fair weather is als probable Friday and Saturday with tem peratures between 50 and 60 degrees dur

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 1898.

For local news--While it is alive-Read the Herald.

The Mayflower

The Mayflower, with all its pink finted, delicate and spicy sweetness, is now with us. No other common flower is at once so uncommon, so retiring and so reverved. No other common flower brings with it so delicions a breath of the pine woods and the fragrant fields. Its perfume carriethe weary city man back to his boyhood's days and many an aged one has, by its influence, become memortarily young again No other flower, in the common belief takes the lover of nature so near to nature's heart.

Meeton Fast Day

The and u I meeting of the Piscataqua as ociation will be bold in Rve with Rev A. W. Hill on Fast day, when the following program will be extried out: devotional; "Moderator and Concio," the Rev Dr. George E. Hall, Dover; "State of Religion and Practical Questions;" rmon, the Rev. Edward G. Smith; busis; essay, the Rev. George E. Street, Exe(e); "Review," the Rev. John W.

Sent Flowers

The funeral of the late Samuel Butterfield took place from his late residence in Concord on Tu sday afternoon and was att nded by a delegation from Portsmou t lodge, BPOE, which society sent are elegant floral emblem in the shape of a

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READY TO SERVE

Governor Ramsdell held a most important conference Tuesday morning with the Boston today. heads of the state's military organizations in Concord.

It was found that New Hampshire is prepared to respond to any call the president may make upon the state for troops, and that the National Guard is ready to meet any calls upon them.

It was also decided that no need exists for calling a special session of the legislature. Such a session would cost about \$15,000, and it was agreed that this money could be employed more usefully in equipping the troops which may be re-

With Governor Ramsdell at the conference were Secretary of State Stearns, Treasurer Carter, Adjutant General Ayling, Brig Gen G M L Lane, Col R H Rolfe, J E Tolles and W W Scott, and Capt S S Piper of the Battery. Capt W S Edgerly, U S A, was present by invita-

"In regard to the ability of the state promptly to respond to calls of the president for men, it was stated that the military organizations of the state were in a good state of discipline and ready for service. Each of the tweaty-six companies has tondered its services, and it was stated there would be no failure to meet any re-

The question of calling an extra session f the legislature was debated; and it was he opinion of the governor that as there were sufficient funds in the state treasury for all current and extraordinary expenses of the state, a special session would not be deemed destrable.

After discussing the situation thoroughly the governor sent this telegram to Secretary of War Alger:

"New Hampshire has three organized egonents of infantry, a light battery, and troop of cavalry, all in a good state of discipline. The state will be prepared to respond promptly to any demands of the president for men.

"After formal conference with general and field officers, I am led to inquire if the existing company and regimental organizations, with their officers, will be accepted, as now constituted, to fill the meta of this state. Such is the unanimous desire of the officers and men."

> "George A. Ramsdell ', TOOK TO THE WOODS

Foung Man Stightly Berunged Es-

Tuesday afternoon a young man, the on of a well known groceryman af Charlestown, Mass, was brought to this city on the three o'clock train in charge of a keeper. The young man, whose name is withheld at the requist of the keeper, is slightly derauged and was taken to the home of a relative in New ington to see if a change of surroundings would not be beneficial and hasten the

recovery of his mental powers. Early last evening he escaped from the house and eluding his keeper took to the woods where he was soon lost in the dark ness. A searching party was quickly or ganized and although they scoured the premises for miles no trace of the demented lad could be found. At the time of his escape he was very lightly cluthed and consequently he must have passed a terrible night in the woods. It was cold. and rained steadily all night long. Early this morning Constable James Drew of Newington, with the boy's keeper, came to this city to see if anything had been heard of him around here but were unsuccessful. His keeper described him as being of light complexion, medium height, with a light moustache. He was dressed in a brown suit of clothes, tan shoes and wore a cap with his name on the inside. He is not violent but inclined to be saucy. Word was telephoned to Greenland and the surrounding towns for the authorities to be on the lookout for the boy while the New York.

officers here will keep their eyes open.

The First to be Called In the event of war with Spain, the irst man to be called into service will be Dr. F. S. Towle of this city, surgeon-general on Governor Ram dell's staff. The orgeon-general with his a-si tante, would be obliged to examine and pass upon the physical condition of every New Hamphire volunteer and member of the Naional Goard, who may be ordered into he service of the United States. Genral Towle is one of Portsmouth's most sighly respected and prominent physicans, and is well known throughout the

Esceric Mail Car

Among the orders given by he postffice department is one providing for lectric mail car service on the route beween Portsmouth, N. H., and York iesch, Me., via the Portsmouth, Kittery d York Street Railway company, a d.s. ly, returned to his duties in Everett. since of 15.75 miles, in an apartment Mass., on Tuesday. stal car, fitted up as required by the de-

Dever the Place

At a special court of the New Herap thre society of Colonial Wars it was voted that the annual court of the society, coming on June 17. (anniversary of the capture of Louisburg), be held at Dover, and that Gen William D. Sawyer, Prof. stitute the committee of arrangements.

PERSONALS.

J. T. Davidson of York was in town on

Tuesday. Mrs. Charles Remick was a visitor in Col. Aaron Young came down from Do

ver last evening. J. H. Sweet of Kittery was a visitor in Dover yesterday.

John H. Dowd was in Newmarket yesterday on business. E. B. Lane of Dover was in town yes-

erday on business. Mr. William Beals, Jr., is the guest of drs. Melcher on Court street.

George N. Prescott and Ira Locke of Madbury were in town Tnesday. R. D. Fay, the well known grocery rummer, was in town last evening.

Secretary Teague of the Y. M. C. A., vas in Dover on Tuesday on business. Miss Helen Ireland of Eliot is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bradbury in Do-

Mr. H. C. Hopkins is confined to his apartment at the Rockingham bouse by Eugene Williams, the bicycle dealer was in Bosten on Tuesday purchasing

Engineer Thompson, of the B & M civil engineer corps, came down from Boston, Tuesday.

Mrs. N. E. Cate of Northwo d is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Newell, Pleasant street. Miss Edith McLarvin of Andover

passed Tuesday here, the guest of Miss Florence Lombard. Mr. Henry R. King of Boston has been visiting his uncle, Mr. Robert King, and

wife of Rogers street. Frank Seymour, foreman of Col. Sise 5. F. E. Co., No. 2, is seriously ill at his

bome with brain fever. W. E. Chesley, the Market street groer, left for Boston on Tuesday evening

or a short business trip.

the guest of her brother, City Messenger W. L. Lord, Hanover street. The many friends of Mr. Joseph Marden will be glad to hear that he is able to

Miss Nellie F. Lord of Salmon Falls is

be out after his recent illness. Hop. Daniel Leavitt of Wolfboro was n town last evening and left on the early rain for Boston this morning.

Mrs. John J. Berry returned from New York city on Tuesday noon, where she has been passing the Easter tide.

Rear Admiral C C. Carpenter, U. S. N., call dat Commandant G. C. Remey's office at the navy yard on Tuesday. Mr. John W. Stavers of Taunton,

Mass, formerly of this city, has been visiting his brother, Mr. Alfred Stavers. C. Harry Gardner, who has been passng a few days in this city, returned to Worcester, Mass, on Monday evening.

Mr. R. S. Margeson, father of R. Clyde Margeson, is seriously ill with pneumonia his summer residence in Newington.

Mrs. L. H. Fisher and daughter, Maran, are the guests of Mrs. Fisher's sister, Mrs. Joseph Cullis, in Waverly, Mass. Mrs. Luov L. Cushing and Miss Cush-

ng of Boston are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Sheafe of Middle street. Miss Florence Perkins of Salem was in own Tuesday on her way to York Beach, where she will soon open her summer cot-

Rev. A. C. Hardy wheeled here or Tuesday from Providence, and will be the guest of friends on Union street for a few

Miss Marion Phillips, who has been passing a few days in Boston the guest of her sister, Miss Ida, returned bome last

Rev. C. Le V. Brine, rector of Christ church, and Mr. W. W. McIntire, organist, returned on Tsesday from a trip to

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cobbett have returned from Belfast, Me., where they were called by the illness of Mr. Cobpett's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Gould returned trom Lowell Tuesday evening, where they the Concord division of the B. and M. had been attending the funeral of Mrs.

Gould's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Leavitt came down from Wolfboro on Tuesday and this mo-ning left for Boston to attend the

Spring-Sinclair wedding. Miss Lura H. Pickering of Malden, Mass., was the guest of relatives in town on Monday, and left for Newington the

ext morning for a short stay. H. B. Dow, district deputy grand- ex alted ruler of the B. P. O. E., went to Concord on Tuesday to attend the funeral

of the late Samuel Butterfield. Mr. Charles Peverly, who was called here on Monday to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Hannah L. Peyer-

C. Fred Duncan, who has been our ment, this order to go into effect May ployed as an expert by the Bay State Dredging company in Boston harbor for the past two weeks, returned to his business in this city on Tuesday evening.

The President Styne

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 20 .- Presi- ton, Portsmouth and Portland, is proof of dent McKinley signed the United States the government's tremendous energy in Charles L. Parsons and John Scales con- ultimatem to Spain at exactly 11:26 preparing for detense, which ought to re-

Fish Will be Scarce

CITT BEIEFS. We trusted to you, oh fair Madrid,

Long in the hearts of Kings! And we thought your princes like To whom tradition clings. But you played us false, oh cold Madrid? From out your Spanish heart There came a blast, a nowder note.

That rent our Maine apart, When we speak to you again, Madrid, It will be with cannon hiss!

Strike where you will, with puerile We answer you with THIS!!

A GREAT CYCLING SUCCESS. Where will the first gun be fired? Sweet peas adorn the florists' windows.

Steam carpet cleaning by C. L. Simp-

The price of butter has taken a decided

The shoe factory closes down this eve-Fast day will be quietly observed

this city. Ladies and gents box calf shoes for \$2.00 at Knights.'

American club house cheese at Ches ey's cash grocery.

More cutters were discharged at the shoe factory last evening. If you want to keep out of a repair shop nde the Spalding bicycle.

Several York women were in town yes terday selling mayflowers. A good eigar is man's enjoyment. Next

time try Dowd's Honest 10. The board of assessors are in session the city building again this evening. A few days of warm sunshine will im-

The cycle c'ub boys are to have a full dress rehersal in Philbrick hall tomorrow

prove the looks of things one hundred per

Ten more days and the banks of the cout brooks will be lined with eager

Portsmouth will be well represented at this evening.

Railroad travel was heavy on Tuesday afternoon and extra cars were added to several trains. The regular meeting of the Gen. Gil-

man Marston command, U. V. U. was held last evening. The "S. G." Londres is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten-cent

cigar in the market.

Have you seen the Spilding, blue In Melrose, Mass. April 13, to Mr and Mrs race:? It will be at the P C C dence and Samuel H Chauncey, a son. rac s, Friday the 22d.

Now those who have been proclaiming

their auxiety to entist, may well think the matter over very soberly. The democrate city committee will hold a meeting at democratic headquar-

ters this Wednesday evening.

American people go to baseball games and Spanish people to bull fights just as if there wasn't going to be a war. The Church Aid society of the Baptist

entertainment on Monday evening. Labor Commissioner Julian F. Trask has been appointed by the Coon club to arrange a White Mountain summer out

hurch netted nearly fifty dollars at

Have your shoes repaired by John Mott, 34 Congress street. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hand-sewed work a spec

lion are doing much damage to their lawns and gardens. It is estimated that there are about ten million bicycles in use in this country; that

comes pretty near striking an average of one to each family. The raid drove in the lodgers at the police station last evening. Sixteen of them were booked during the night by Captain

Hilton of the night watch. Abner L. Blinn of Windham, charged with the murder of his house-keeper, and whom the grand jury failed to indict, was

yesterday afternoon discharged from Exeter jail. Passenger conductors and brakemen on are taking a course of instruction in the

air-brake car, which is now located for a time in Concord. A 50 yards ma'ched race between Prof Benfie'd and a well known club man takes place on the Marginal road tomorrow morning. Dicky Rise of the Alley club

will officiate as referee. PORTSMOUTH CYCLE CLUB GRAND MINSTREL OVERTURE, BL CYCLE RACES AND DANCE AT PHILBRICK'S HALL ON FRIDAY

EVENING, APRIL 22d.

assure timiki eitizens."

Now that the mosquito season is near at hand, it is well to remember that a film of kerosene oil spread over any stagment water near your house will lesson the number of buzzing angels that will visit you. The Dover sportsmen's association re-

ceived an invitation from the Portemouth club to visit them on Fast day, but as the local club had made arrangements, to hold a shoot at their range they had to decline the invitation ... Dover Democrat. Says the Boston Joornal of Tuesday evening: "Twenty tons of dynamite and

"The war scare is ruining the fish business," said Sherman T. Newton of the firm of E. T. Newton & Sone, to a HERALD reporter on Tuesday afternoon. "Why, we are doing absolutely nothing new and the fleet is growing smaller and smaller up. The Grand Banks fishermen will not sail for fear of war being declared and that they may be captured by Spanish privateers. Fish will be scarce before long and very high."

The Burning Has Ceased

"I had eczema which troubled me so could not sleep owing to the itching and burning. I tried everything that was suggested without benefit and at last determined to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine gave me relief and the itching and burning are cured." Mrs. LEVI LAWRENCE, Proctorsville, Vermont.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ille Mailed for 25c, by C. I. Hood & Co. Lowell, Mass.

Examine Two Dellar Bills

The treasury secret service division arnounces the appearance of a new \$2 connterfeit treasury note, series of 1891, portrait of McPherson. The note is on heavy bond paper and red pen scratches are substituted for the red silk fibre of the genuine. The portrait lathe work and parallel ruling are all poor and the words "Bearer" and "Bureau" are both mis-

Assessors Notice.

The board of assessory of the city of Portsmouth N. H. hereby gives public notice that it will be in session for the purpose of receiving the inventories and of bearing any statements which may legally be offered, at the office of city clerk on the Spring-Sinclair wedding in Boston the venings of April, from 7 30 to 10

> C. DWIGHT HANSCOM, Secretary.

Fatally Injured

Train No. 11, due here at 10.40, struck a man in Lynn this forenoon and probably fatally injured him.

MARRIED. In this city, April 19, by Rev William Warren,

Fred H Downing and Maggie McNeil, both of

DIED.

Postsn outh.

In Newburyport, April 15, Lucy M, widow of Isaac C Clements, aged 30 yrs, \$ mos, 20 days. CASCARET stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or gripe

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fectly new. I hey keep every requisite for the stable in harness, collars, bridles, boots, blankets, etc., in all the latest improved designs and styles. JOHN B. TILTON.

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every day. Nearly four hundred Gloucester fishermen have already shipped in the navy and vesset after vessel is tying up. The Grand Banks fishermen will not

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